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## IN THE EVENT OF A HURRICANE

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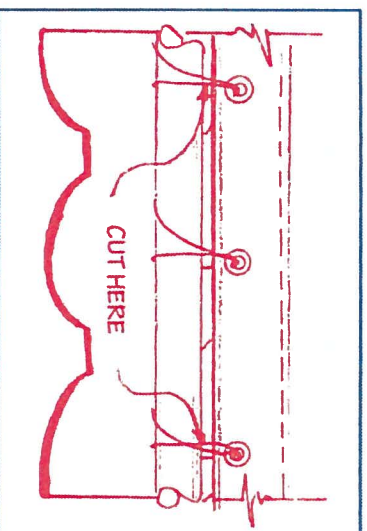
Your Fabric Awning or Canopy consists of a frame structure and a fabric cover. The cover is secured by rope at the perimeter and on the rafters (if applicable).

The fabric connection at the top is either slid into an aluminum rail or laced to a pipe.

#### STEP ONE

Cut the lacing rope. This should be done below the grommets (Brass Eyelets).

**DO NOT SAVE THE ROPE!**  
**BE CAREFUL NOT TO CUT  
THE AWNING FABRIC**



#### STEP TWO

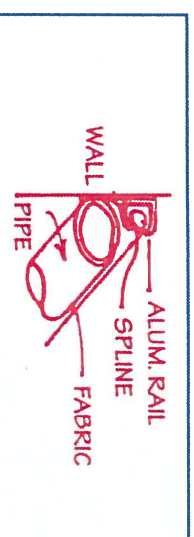
Many Awnings have a waterproof aluminum canvas rail located on the wall at the top of the awning or canopy. The fabric slides into this rail. Roll the fabric **UP** toward the rail.

#### STEP THREE

These are the ways to secure your awning.

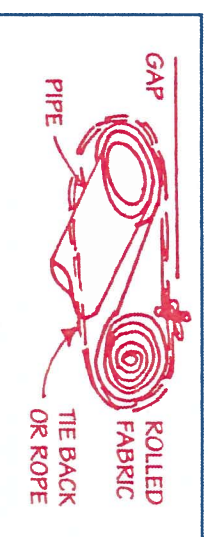
##### OPTION A

**(If you have aluminum rail, at the top)**  
The fabric can be removed by sliding the canvas fabric out of the rail. The fabric can then be neatly rolled up or folded. Please store the fabric inside.



##### OPTION B

**(If you have a pipe only, at the top)**  
Roll the fabric up toward the top and secure it intermittently with the backs or rope, lashing it to the framework.



**DO *NOT* REMOVE  
THE FRAMEWORK**

IF YOU HAVE A  
LARGE AWNING  
ON YOUR  
RESIDENCE OR COMMERCIAL  
PROPERTY,  
PLEASE CALL US  
FOR  
FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS

**PLEASE VISIT**

Our Web site, there you will find  
additional Instructions and Information  
that you may consult for further  
information during Hurricane Season



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Please keep this information in the event  
of a hurricane. Each year hurricane  
season extends from June 1st to  
November 30th.

Please remember to be prepared for the  
events *before* they happen.

The Florida Building Code advises that  
the cover must be removed when a  
Hurricane Warning is issued.

We recommend taking the fabric off the  
frame when a Hurricane Warning for our  
area is issued.

**Do *Not*** attempt to remove during Heavy  
Wind!



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